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## NEW BILL WILL AFFECT OHIO CO.

REDISTRICTING MEASURE PUTS OHIO, McLEAN AND HENDERSON IN 10th.

## IS EXPECTED TO PASS

Hancock County Will Probably Be Placed With Daviess Instead Of McLean.

Radical changes are proposed in reapportionment of the State into senatorial and legislative districts by bills introduced in the senate by Senator A. E. Stricklett, of Covington, and in the house of Representatives by Harry J. Meyers, of Covington. It is understood that these redistricting measures, while not all that the Republicans desired, nevertheless will be supported by the minority almost to a man, and that with the other support assured they are in a fair way of passage at this session.

An effort will be made to have Ohio, McLean and Henderson counties for district No. 16, and Hancock and Daviess will constitute No. 17 instead of McLean and Daviess, as it now stands.

Under the provisions of the new apportionment proposed in the Stricklett and Meyers bills, Louisville and Jefferson county are given four state senators, an increase of one, and eleven representatives which is three more than the present legislature apportionment.

### Other Districts.

Other legislative districts are apportioned in the Meyers bill as follows:

No. 1, Pike; No. 2, Letcher and Knott; No. 3, Martin and Floyd; No. 4, Johnson; No. 5, Morgan and Magoffin; No. 6, Lawrence and Elliott; No. 7, Boyd; No. 8, Carter; No. 9, Greenup; No. 10, Lewis; No. 11, Mason; No. 12, Fleming; No. 13, Bath and Rowan; No. 14, Menifee and Montgomery; No. 15, Powell and Wolfe; No. 16, Clark and Estill; No. 17, Lee and Owsley; No. 18, Breathitt; No. 19, Harlan and Perry; No. 20, Clay and Leslie; No. 21, Bell; No. 22, Whitney; No. 23, Knox; No. 24, Laurel; No. 25, Jackson and Rockcastle; No. 26, Madison; No. 27, Bourbon; No. 28, Harrison; No. 29, Nicholas and Robertson; No. 30, Bracken and Pendleton; No. 31, Campbell, outside of Newport; No. 32, Campbell, City of Newport; No. 33, Kenton, outside of Covington; No. 34, Kenton, part of Covington; No. 35, Boone and Grant; No. 37, Owen and Gallatin; No. 38, Carroll and Trimble; No. 39, Henry and Oldham; No. 40, Shelby; No. 41, Franklin; No. 42, Scott; No. 43, Fayette, outside of Lexington; No. 44, Fayette, City of Lexington; No. 45, Woodford and Jessamine; No. 46, Anderson and Washington; No. 47, Mercer; No. 48, Boyle; No. 49, Garrard; No. 50, Lincoln; No. 51, Pulaski; No. 52, Casey and Russell; No. 53, McCreary and Wayne; No. 54, Clinton and Cumberland; No. 55, Metcalfe and Monroe; No. 56, Barren; No. 57, Hart and Greene; No. 58, Laramie and Marion; No. 59, Adair and Taylor; No. 60, Nelson; No. 61, Hardin and Meade; No. 62, Spencer and Bullitt; No. 74, Breckenridge and Hancock; No. 75, Daviess, outside of Owensboro; No. 76, City of Owensboro; No. 77, McLean; No. 78, Ohio; No. 79, Grayson; No. 80, Butler and Edmonson; No. 81, Warren, except Magisterial Districts 1 and 2; No. 82, Warren, City of Bowling Green and Magisterial Districts 1 and 2; No. 83, Allen and Simpson; No. 84, Logan; No. 85, Todd; No. 86, Muhlenberg; No. 87, Christian; No. 88, Trigg; No. 89, Caldwell and Lyon; No. 90, Hopkins; No. 91, Crittenden and Livingston; No. 92, Webster; No. 93, Henderson; No. 94, Union; No. 95, Marshall; No. 96, Calloway; No. 97, Graves; No. 98, McCracken; No. 99, Ballard and Carlisle; No. 100, Hickman and Fulton.

### Senatorial Districts.

The senatorial districts outside of Louisville will be as follows: No. 1, Pike, Knott and Floyd; No. 2, Harlan, Letcher, Leslie, Per-

ry and Clay; No. 3, Owsley, Lee, Estill, Jackson, Rockcastle; No. 4, Knox, Laurel, Bell; No. 5, Pulaski, Whitley, McCreary; No. 6, Wayne, Russell, Clinton, Cumberland, Monroe; No. 7, Barren, Metcalfe, Adair; No. 8, Edmonson, Allen, Warren; No. 9, Logan, Todd, Simpson; No. 10, Christian, Muhlenberg; No. 11, Lyon, Trigg, Calloway, Marshall; No. 12, Fulton, Graves, Hickman; No. 13, Ballard, Carlisle, McCracken; No. 14, Livingston, Crittenden, Union, Caldwell; No. 15, Webster, Hopkins; No. 16, Henderson, McLean, Ohio; No. 17, Daviess, Hancock; No. 18, Breckenridge, Meade, Hardin; No. 19, Grayson, Hart, Greene, Butler; No. 20, Nelson, Marion, Taylor, LaRue; No. 21, Anderson, Shelby, Spencer, Bullitt, Oldham, Trimble; No. 22, Garrard, Lincoln, Boyle, Casey; No. 23, Mercer, Woodford, Franklin, Washington; No. 24, Fayette; No. 29, Gallatin, Henry, Scott, Carroll, Owen; No. 30, Kenton; No. 31, Campbell; No. 32, Mason, Boone, Grant, Pendleton, Bracken; No. 33, Bourbon, Harrison, Nicholas, Montgomery, Robertson; No. 34, Madison, Clark, Jessamine; No. 35, Elliott, Rowan, Fleming, Bath, Menifee, Powell; No. 36, Wolfe, Breathitt, Morgan, Magoffin; No. 37, Carter, Greenup, Lewis; No. 38, Martin, Johnson, Lawrence, Boyd.

## SHORTAGE FOUND IN DUNDEE BANK

SPECIAL DEPUTY G. B. LIKENS, IN CHARGE, ISSUES REPORT OF CONDITION.

A partial report on the condition of the Dundee Deposit Bank at Dundee, which went into liquidation about four weeks ago following the suicide of J. S. Weller, the cashier, has been made public by G. B. Likens, special deputy banking commissioner. The report gives the condition of the bank at the close of business on January 14, 1916, as shown by the books. In his report the special commissioner says:

At this time I find that in four different accounts shortages appear as follows:

Notes, \$1,561.77, American Southern National Bank, Louisville, Ky. (correspondent), \$1,914.60 (this will be increased to more than \$2,000 when the accounts are finally adjusted).

Outstanding certificates of deposit amounting to \$1,391.92 more than is shown by the books, all of which is a liability of the bank. All certificates may not have been presented for verification and the shortage on this account may be increased.

The demand deposits at this time have been found to be \$515.83 in excess of the amount shown on the books, and this sum is a liability of the bank. Total definitely located at present, \$5,384.12.

The actual value of the notes, overdraft accounts, real estate, furniture and fixtures can not be given at this time.

The formal statement attached is made a part of this report.

Respectfully submitted,  
G. B. LIKENS,

Special Deputy Banking Commissioner.

The directors and the number of shares each hold follows:

S. P. McDowell, 44 shares; S. S. Acton, 5 shares; J. E. Mitchell, 5 shares; F. N. Landrum, 10 shares; J. M. Neighbors, 7 shares; J. D. Duke, 10 shares.

## DR. T. HENRY AULL DIES AT BOWLING GREEN HOME

Bowling Green, Ky., Feb. 12.—Dr. T. Henry Aull, one of Bowling Green's most prominent druggists, died yesterday afternoon at his home in this city. Dr. Aull had been ill for some time of stomach trouble, and the end was not unexpected. He had been in the drug business in this city for over twenty years. He was 55 years of age. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. George H. Mosely and Miss Virginia Aull, both of this city. He leaves also a father, Dr. A. S. Aull, of Auburn, Ky., and a brother, Eugene Aull, of this city. Ed. Note.—Dr. Aull was born near Sulphur Springs and several years ago worked in the drug store of Mr. J. W. Ford, in Hartford.

## JURY HOLDS MORT TATE NOT GUILTY

ACQUITTED OF POSSUM HUNTER CHARGES IN CIRCUIT COURT HERE TUESDAY.

## OTHER COURT NOTES

Criminal Docket Disposed of and Civil Cases Now Being Tried.

After deliberating about two hours in the case of Commonwealth vs. Mort Tate, charged with whipping Charlie Hoops, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty in Circuit Court here Tuesday. The evidence, as taken in court, against Tate appeared very weak. Hoops, himself, took the stand, but could not swear that Tate was in the gang that applied the rod. County officials and other men of high standing were introduced to testify in regard to Tate's character and nothing was brought out detrimental to his reputation. The defendant was represented by Heavrin, Kirk & Martin.

All of the remaining "Possum Hunter" cases have been adjourned until the next term of court. Other cases disposed of as follows:

Com'th. vs. Gilbert Hayes—set forward for trial on 15th day of the February term.

Com'th. vs. Ebon Shultz, Geo. Jewell, Glenn Stewart and Reed Hurt, &c.—continued for process.

Com'th. vs. Marlor Likens (2 cases)—set forward to February 16th for trial.

Com'th. vs. Ira Himes, et al.—by order of court this prosecution is continued for want of time and set down for trial to 3d day June term. Same order was made in Com'th. vs. Marvin Taylor, et al., setting case for trial 3d day of June term.

Com'th. vs. Will Harris (2 cases)—set forward.

Com'th. vs. Walter May, &c.—set forward to 11th day of February term, for trial.

Com'th. vs. Herman Morris—set forward to next Tuesday, 14th day of February term, for trial.

Com'th. vs. Jesse Fulkerson, et al.—continued to June term for want of time.

Same order in Com'th. vs. Claude Allen, et al.

On account of sickness in his family Alva Carter was excused from further service on grand jury and James Nall was summoned and empaneled in his stead.

The case of Mrs. Oma Turner vs. M. L. Heavrin, &c., wherein the former claims \$10,000, is now on trial. Owing to interest in the case several jurors were relieved and others substituted. The plaintiff is represented by H. P. Taylor, Hartford, and Judge J. F. Gordon, Madisonville, while W. H. Barnes, Glenn & Sinnerman, C. M. Crowe and Kirk & Martin are looking after the interests of the defendants. Many technical points of law have been thrashed out and it is likely that practically all of today will be consumed in the hearings of this case.

The grand jury was still in session at press hour yesterday and had returned the following indictments:

Tom Wilson, charged with taking and appropriating package of whiskey from American Express Company while in transit. Tom Minton, charged with crime of striking with cross-cut saw with intent to kill. Klath Lawrence, charged with crime of striking with intent to kill. Mose Wilson, charged with the crime of cutting and wounding another with a deadly weapon with intent to kill. Marion Likens, charged with selling liquor without license. Owen Cash, Henry Whittaker, Henry McClure, Henry Hinton, Bert Coffman, charged with petit larceny. Henry Whitaker, carrying concealed a deadly weapon. Joe St Clair, Frank St Clair, Jno. Wilson, breach of peace. Mose Wilson, malicious cutting with intent to kill. William Maddox, murder. C. Lee Warden, carrying concealed a deadly weapon.

### Red Top.

The best grade of Red Top Seed on the market.

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## PLOT AGAINST THE CHURCHES

POISONING AT BANQUET PART OF NATION-WIDE CONSPIRACY.

## A NEST OF ANARCHISTS

Destruction of Houses of Worship All Over the Country Was Planned.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 15.—Search was started today for the principals in what is believed by the police to have been a plot to destroy buildings and kill members of the clergy, bankers and others, in a dozen cities in various sections of the United States. Discovery of the alleged plot, according to the police, resulted from examination of the personal effects of John Allegrini, confidant of Jean Crones, who is charged by the authorities with putting poison in soup at the banquet given Archbishop George W. Mundelein at the University Club Thursday night, and causing the illness of 100 of the guests.

Chief of police Healey, Chief of Detectives Nicholas Hunt, and Deputy Chief of Police Herman Schuetler announced today after studying translations of letters written in Italian, found in Allegrini's rooms, that they regarded as established the existence of an anti-clerical organization, headed by a "committee of fifteen," of which Crones and Allegrini are believed to have been members.

Police are searching for Crones, who is a former assistant chef at the University Club. Allegrini is in jail charged with conspiracy to commit murder.

The police were guarded in making public the contents of Allegrini's correspondence, but it was stated that plans and specifications were found of several large downtown buildings in Chicago, which, it is said, had been marked for destruction by the committee. These included the People's Gas, Light and Coke Company buildings in Chicago; the Union League Club, and Federal building.

The attempt to wreck St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church in New York a year ago also is believed by Captain Hunt to have been a part of the alleged plot. According to the detective who did the translating, certain leaders in a conspiracy, which is said to be international in scope, have headquarters in Rome. He added that some of the letters contained detailed descriptions of bombs used by the conspirators. Some of these, he said, were designed to wreck buildings, others to kill policemen, and still others to spread death among churchgoers "when they are walking away from church discussing the sermon."

### Names Obtained.

Names of the "committee of fifteen" are said to be in the hands of the police, and it was predicted that the arrest of some of the committee members would be made before night.

Chief of detective Hunt has communicated with Nashville, Tenn., Salda, Col., St. Paul and St. Louis, in hope of apprehending Crones in one of those cities.

Police workers on the case pointed out today that the illness of fifty guests who attended the Knights of Columbus banquet on October 12 last might have been due to the activities of the alleged conspirators. At first it was believed that the illness of the banqueters was caused from ptomaine poison, but discovery of the plot to poison guests at the Mundelein dinner has given strength to the belief that the illness of the other banqueters may have been due to a similar plot.

In connection with the alleged plans of the conspirators to destroy public buildings and church property, police records show that two-score or more Chicago churches have suffered losses within the last two years. At the Moody church it was said no less than six fires said to have been of incendiary origin, have been extinguished with small loss during the last year.

Other churches in which incen-

diary fires have been discovered include Grace Episcopal church, which was destroyed September 26 last. Oakland Methodist church, Norwood Park Methodist church, Auburn Park Methodist church, Evangelical Lutheran Catholic church, Trinity Reformed Episcopal church, and three Episcopal churches—St. Chrysostom's, All Saints and St. Albans.

One of the interesting developments in the case yesterday was the finding of a letter in Allegrini's pocket in which reference was made to a fund collected for the widow of Gaetano Bresci, who assassinated King Humbert of Italy. Subsequent developments have led the police to believe that Crones and Allegrini may have had knowledge of the plot to assassinate the Italian monarch.

That an attempt to blow up the State penitentiary at Joliet, Ill., was one of the plans of the alleged plotters, the police said today, was indicated by one of the Allegrini letters.

Recently it became known that dynamite sufficient to wreck many buildings had been found secreted in the penitentiary.

The letter, which was not signed, read:

"There are many good men penned up like dogs in Joliet. What a wonderful thing it would be if we could free them. It would be hard. You know F— is there."

## OFFERED HIM \$1,000 TO SLAY WOODRUFF

FARMER TELLS OF PROPOSITION IN MADISONVILLE MURDER TRIAL.

Madisonville, Ky., Feb. 16.—A jury was finally impaneled here in the case of the commonwealth against James Robinson, under indictment for the killing of Dermott Woodruff and his clerk, Glover Hoad, at Hamby Station in February, 1915.

Although many important witnesses were absent, over one hundred were present at the opening of court today. Great interest is being manifested in the trial and the courthouse was crowded all day.

The commonwealth had prepared a blackboard chart, showing the position of the bodies when found, also the building, railroad track, etc. The first witnesses were examined mainly on the nature of the wounds and the position of the bodies when first discovered.

Two of the commonwealth's star witnesses were on the stand yesterday, M. K. Gordon, a prominent attorney of this city, and Cliff Knight, a farmer. When Mr. Gordon was asked by the commonwealth to tell of the conversation he had with Robinson in regard to Woodruff, one of the murdered men. Attorney Breathitt, for the defense objected on the grounds that the conversation between Robinson and Gordon was that between a client and attorney and was confidential.

The court called all the lawyers of the local bar into consultation with the result that the objection was overruled. Mr. Gordon then stated that Robinson had asked him what the penalty would be if Woodruff would "drop out." Mr. Gordon stated that of course he could give no answer to a question of that sort.

Cliff Knight, when cross examined by Attorney Fox for the defense became muddled in some of his answers in substance his testimony was that if he (Knight) killed Woodruff, he would receive \$1,000 from Robinson. Knight stated he told Robinson he had nothing against Woodruff, was also afraid of the consequences, and two affidavits were later produced and read in court by the defense in which Knight stated Robinson had not made him such a proposition. Knight cannot read or write and had signed his mark. Court adjourned at 5:30 o'clock with Knight still on the stand. Mrs. Knight with a two-year-old child stayed in the court room throughout the entire session, occupying a seat near her husband.

Not Very, But Some.  
"Isn't that rather strong stuff that you boys buy?" asked a Northern man of a negro who had just bought a pint of rather vigorous whisky. "No sah," replied the negro: "not so strong as mi' be, sah. We reckon to this yere about three fights to a pint, sah!"

## SOUNDS KEYNOTE G. O. P. CAMPAIGN

SENATOR ROOT RECEIVES GREAT OVATION FROM A NEW YORK AUDIENCE.

## RAPS FOREIGN POLICIES

President Taken to Task for Making Threats He Has Not "Backed UP."

New York, Feb. 15.—In a speech criticizing the Wilson Administration especially in respect to its foreign policy, former United States Senator Elihu Root, as temporary chairman of the Republican State Convention, sounded here tonight what was regarded as the keynote of the Republican national campaign. He was introduced by Frederick C. Tanner, chairman of the State Committee, and was greeted with an ovation which lasted two and a half minutes.

Every seat in the convention hall and all standing room was occupied long before the convention opened. The boxes were almost entirely reserved for women, one being filled with suffrage leaders.

### Attacks Mexican Policy.

The first part of Mr. Root's speech which was devoted to a consideration of the tariff and economic conditions, was received in comparative silence. When he opened an attack on President Wilson's Mexican policy he was repeatedly interrupted with applause, however.

The first prolonged outbursts of cheers came when Mr. Root, turning to European affairs, denounced the President's policy as one of making threats, and failing to make them good.

In the prepared speech that Mr. Root sent out in advance he referred to Theodore Roosevelt as one of the men who had believed in the duty of the American government to protest at the violation of Belgium's neutrality by Germany. This reference was omitted tonight in the actual speech. The temporary chairman himself denounced, however the failure of the United States Government to protest against the invasion of Belgium.

### Can Not Remain Silent.

"If the public opinion of the world," he said, "was to remain silent on that, neutral upon that, then all talk about peace and justice and international law and the rights of man, the progress of humanity and the spread of liberty, is idle patter—mere weak sentimentality."

A move interpreted by Gov. Whitman's supporters as intended to prevent any fight on the convention floor for an endorsement of the State Administration, was made by Charles B. Sears, of Erie, immediately after Mr. Root ended his speech. Sears moved that all resolutions be referred to the Committee on Resolutions without debate. The motion was declared adopted by Chairman Root.

### Committees Are Named.

Speaker Sweet, of the Assembly, moved that the rules of the Assembly be adopted as the rules of the convention, except that the minority in committees be permitted to submit reports. This proposal also was carried.

The Committees on Resolutions, delegates to the national convention and credentials then were named. Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler was appointed chairman of the Committee on Resolutions and Senator George F. Argetsinger, of Rochester, of the Committee on Delegates.

The convention adjourned at 10:40 o'clock to meet again at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

When William Barnes entered the hall before the session opened he was asked what action he intended to take in the convention.

"I have certain plans which I will put thru," he said, "You will see what they are when I carry them out."

### For Sale.

My residence on Clay St., Hartford Ky., also vacant lot adjoining same. Will sell for cash or 6 and 12 months to this yere about three fights to a time.

MRS. S. J. WEDDING.



## MANY DEFENSE PLANS OFFERED

VARIOUS WAYS OF INCREASING NATION'S LAND FORCES SUGGESTED.

### PACIFISTS OBJECT TO ALL

One Expense and Declare That Militarism Will Result if Bills. Go Through.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Now that the hearings on the Army Appropriations Bill have been virtually concluded by the House Committee on Military Affairs, of which Representative W. J. Fields is a member, six concrete plans for increasing the nation's land forces in preparedness against war may be said to be under general consideration. Probably a dozen others have been advanced from time to time from various sources, but six stand out more prominently than the rest. These are:

Former Secretary Garrison—Regular army, 141,843; national guard, 125,000; continental army, 400,000; total, 670,843; annual cost, \$182,234,553.

General Staff, or War College—Regular army, 500,000; continental army, three months' training a year for three years, 500,000; on furlough for three months' extra training before service, 500,000; total, 1,500,000; annual cost, \$353,000,000.

Senator G. E. Chamberlain, Chairman of Military Affairs—Regular army, 185,524, composed of 64 infantry, 20 field artillery and 19 cavalry regiments, with 30,000 men for coast artillery; seven regiments and seven battalions of engineers and signal corps of 1,840 men.

Gen. Leonard Wood—Regular army of 220,000, federalization of the national guard and compulsory service based on Swiss or Australian system.

Gen. Nelson A. Miles—Federalization of the national guard, with militia as the backbone of defense and a shorter enlistment term as a basis of increase.

Theodore Roosevelt—Regular army of 250,000, with some sort of compulsory service, based on the Swiss or Australian system.

Two Main Arguments. "Militarism" and "expense" are the two main arguments voiced by opponents of the preparedness movement. In reply to the cry of "Militarism!" the advocates of preparedness quote an utterance by Maj. Gen. Emory Upton in 1886, endorsed afterward by the late Gen. W. T. Sherman and Elihu Root when Secretary of War. Gen. Upton said:

"It is a popular delusion that armies make wars; the fact is, wars inevitably make armies. No matter what the form of government, war, at the discretion of the rulers, means absolute despotism, the danger from which increases as the war is prolonged. Armies in time of peace have seldom if ever overthrown their governments, but in time of anarchy and war the people have often sought to dictate, and purchase peace at their own liberty. If we would escape this danger, we should make war with a strong arm. No foreign invader should ever be allowed a foothold on our soil."

At present the United States army consists—or is supposed to consist—of 5,023 officers and 102,335 men, of whom 46,000 constitute the mobile troops in continental United States and 13,000 are utilized in continental coast defenses. The strength of the militia is given as 120,000. Adopting the plan of 1913, Secretary Garrison would raise the army of 141,843, of whom 50,000 would form mobile continental troops and 20,000 be in the coast artillery.

Computations Made.

For the "second line," Mr. Garrison proposes a "continental army" of 400,000 men, to be raised at the rate of 133,000 a year for three years, these men to be "obligated" to devote a certain amount of time each year to training, for a period of three years.

In recommending a standing army of 500,000 men and an available extra force of 1,000,000 the War College experts assert that within two weeks of possible defeat of the United States navy Germany actually could land 387,000 seasoned regulars on the Atlantic Coast, and Admiral George Dewey has said that such landings would be possible at many points in New England and for down the seaboard. A second expedition, following fast on the heels of the first, continue the War College experts, would place 440,000 more hostile regulars on these shores.

These computations are based by

the experts on the use of only 50 per cent. of Germany's available shipping tonnage for the first expedition and 75 per cent. for the second, the ships being able to return to Germany from America for a second load and to make a second landing in the United States in thirty and four-fifths days.

Similar computations also were made by the War College experts in regard to possible invasion by Austro-Hungary, France, Great Britain, Italy, Japan and Russia.

Problems Facing Committee.

"Our system should be able to furnish 500,000 trained and organized mobile troops at the outbreak of a war, and to have at least 500,000 more available within ninety days thereafter," assert the experts of the War College. Even at that, they add, "two expeditions alone" from a foreign foe "will provide a force large enough to cope with our 1,000,000 mobile troops, and, consequently, we must at the outbreak of hostilities provide the system to raise and train, in addition, at least 500,000 troops to replace the losses and wastage in personnel incident to war."

The two main problems confronting the House committee, therefore, are to decide on the adequate number of soldiers to be provided, without going to an extreme, and how to induce or compel the required number of men to come forward.

On the other hand, opponents of preparedness are emphasizing the allegation that under the Administration plan of this year the United States would be spending 70 per cent. of its annual budget for military purposes, as against 55 per cent. for Germany, 45 per cent. for Japan, 37 per cent. for Great Britain and 35 per cent. for France.

### Many People Don't Know.

A sluggish liver can cause a person an awful lot of misery. Spells of dizziness, headaches, constipation and biliousness are sure signs that your liver needs help. Take Dr. King's New Life Pills and see how they help tone up the whole system. Fine for the stomach too. Aids digestion. Purifies the blood and clears the complexion. Only 25c at your Druggist.

## BELGIAN REFUSES BODY OF HIS SON

WOULD NOT PERMIT REMAINS TO ENTER HOUSE—BETRAYED MISS CAVELL.

Amsterdam, Jan. 28.—Further details are reported from the Belgian frontier of the assassination of Nels de Rode, the Belgian who is alleged to have betrayed Miss Edith Cavell, the English nurse, executed at Brussels by the German authorities. According to this story the body of a young man who had been killed by two revolver shots, was found in a street at Scharbeek, a suburb of Brussels, early one morning. He was at once recognized as de Rode, a man of 25, son of a retired major of the Belgian army. The body lay before the door of the man's parents, but the father refused to receive it and it was taken to the public mortuary.

Immediately the German authorities heard of the case they gave strict orders that the affair should be kept as quiet as possible, but instructed the police at the same time to make every effort to discover the assassin. The news spread like wildfire, however, and before noon all Brussels knew that a man regarded by the Belgians as a traitor had been put to death.

The slain man, it is said, had been suspected for a long time of spying for the Germans. It was reported that he, together with an individual of the same stamp, had made a specialty of enticing young men to take service in the Belgian army and then when they were on the point of leaving the country, delivering them to the Germans. But recently, it is stated, proof had been obtained that it was de Rode, who betrayed Miss Cavell to the Germans as well as Architect Baucq, who was put to death with her. From that moment de Rode's death sentence was signed. There is, it appears, a sort of society in Belgium, whose members have sworn to levy "justice" on those who do spying service for the Germans. Those who shot de Rode are said to have found papers on him that will enable them to trace other spies.

In reply to this challenge, Gen. von Bissing, the German governor of Belgium, not only imposed a fine of \$12,500 on Brussels, but levied a fine of 12,500 against Scharbeek where the deed was committed.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

## HUNDREDS ATTEND LINCOLN BANQUET

CHICAGO'S MAYOR AND ED. MORROW ARE PROMINENT FIGURES.

### ORATORY IN VOLUMES

Speakers Turn Loose and 525 Exponents of Lincoln Principles Enjoy Occasion.

Louisville, Ky., February 13.—Homage to Abraham Lincoln, in commemoration of the one hundred and seventh anniversary of his birth was paid by 525 exponents of his principles last night at the second annual banquet of the Lincoln Protective Club of which Mayor William Hale Thompson, of Chicago, was the honor guest and the principle speaker, at the Seelbach Hotel.

The attendance at the event and the bursts of enthusiasm that greeted references to Republican policies attested the unity and solidity of the Emancipator's party. Ed. Morrow's entrance into the hall and his address met with prolonged applause.

Mayor Thompson was introduced by Judge George DuRelle, toastmaster, as the "man who carried the wicked and Democratic city of Chicago by 149,000 votes," and as the "man who settled the street car strike and closed saloons on Sunday."

Kentucky G. O. P. Commended

In prefacing his address on "Kentucky and Illinois—their Great Contribution," Mayor Thompson took the opportunity to congratulate the Republican party in Kentucky and members of the Lincoln Protective Club on their wonderful work in Kentucky.

Mayor Thompson praised Mr. Morrow for his gallant campaign for Governor of Kentucky, "who lacked only 400 votes being elected."

"He was elected" vouchsafed a man in the audience.

"Well, he didn't get his certificate and that's a very important item. If they stole the election from you Ed," he said, turning to Mr. Morrow, "go after a higher honor, and the people will elect you to it."

Frenzied cheers signified the approval of Mayor Thompson's prophecy.

"Howdy, Ed!" Greeting.

When Mr. Morrow arose to speak on "Patriotism," the entire assemblage stood and greeted him with cries of "Howdy, Ed!" Mr. Morrow smilingly acknowledged the hearty reception accorded him.

In his characteristic way, Mr. Morrow said: "This banquet is sure a sight for sore eyes to see or any other old kind of eyes. It sure does look good to me, because it looks like we have accomplished that purpose for which the first Lincoln banquet was given one year ago—the purpose of solidifying, bringing together and uniting in a friendly spirit the Republican party. One year ago at the first Lincoln banquet, only 150 of us were there. We tried to look pleasant, but we were not. It was a mighty squally time. We did not know what we were going to do or where we were going to do it. This party tonight is in celebration of the complete and absolute success of the movement started last year to cement the party."

"Those who love the Republican party in this State," he continued, "and those who are proud of its part, can thank God that there are no longer any differences, and that all the boys are back home inside the old log cabin. Whatever wrongs there might have been on either side here forgotten, all differences have been overlooked, friends can meet friends and go on with the assurance that with a fair count or without a fair count, Kentucky again will be a Republican State."

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"I believe that if Lincoln and his soldiers were here tonight and the heroes of Valley Forge, they would say, 'give to this land of ours an arm on the sea and an arm on the land and a navy strong enough to command respect at home and to challenge admiration abroad. Give to this land a navy great enough, if need be, to defend the righteous justice of our country in any waters on the earth. Give to this land an army so great that it could not be arrested and put in jail by the New York police force.'

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## SCOTTSVILLE MAN TO BE CHAIRMAN

STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEETS AND SELECTS TEMPORARY OFFICERS.

Louisville, Ky., February 13.—T. B. Dixon, of Scottsville, was selected McCoy, of Jackson, for temporary secretary of the Republican State Convention by the State Central Committee, meeting at party headquarters in the Seelbach yesterday afternoon. The convention will be held in Louisville March 1.

A subcommittee composed of A. T. Hert, Judge John P. Haswell, J. M. Chilton and Secretary Alvis S. Bennett was appointed to select the hall for the convention. They will decide between Phoenix Hill and one of the down-town theaters.

Mr. Dixon is a well-known Republican, having formerly been a member of the House of Representatives. He has stumped the State during the last several campaigns. He now is County Attorney of Allen county. Mr. McCoy is an old-time Republican editor. He is the editor of the Jackson News. No names except those of Mr. Dixon and Mr. McCoy were suggested for the temporary convention officers.

Those At Meeting.

Those attending the meeting were: Chairman Ed T. Franks, A. T. Hert, holding the proxy of Charles L. Scholl, of the State-at-large; H. H. Asher, of Pineville, holding the proxy of Joe F. Bosworth, of the State-at-large; S. T. Moore, of Marion, holding the proxy of Ed R. Miller, of the First district; J. W. McCulloch, of the Second; A. J. Oliver, of Scottsville, holding the proxy of J. H. Gilliam, of the Third; Judge John P. Haswell, of the Fourth; J. M. Chilton, of the Fifth; M. L. Galvin, of the Sixth; H. G. Garrett, of the Seventh; L. F. Petty of Shelbyville, holding the proxy of George D. Florence, of the Eighth; Herman Monroe, holding the proxy of F. H. McCartney, of the Ninth; James A. Scott of the Tenth; J. S. Cooper, of Somerset, holding the proxy of A. T. Siler, of the Eleventh.

Hear Defense Advocate.

William B. Brewster, of New York secretary of the National Conference of Mayors, who is touring the country in the interest of a preparedness conference to be held in St. Louis March 3 and 4, addressed the committee. He told them that "the gun barrel is far more effective in the matter of national defense than the pork barrel," and asked their cooperation in the movement toward immediate action by Congress. He did not ask the committeemen to

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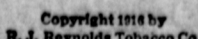
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### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce TOM SPURLOCK, of Grayson County as a candidate for Congress, from the 4th district, subject to the action of the Republican primary Saturday, Aug. 5, 1916.

Now isn't Wilson in one mess?  
The whole Garrison has deserted.

Only grape juice was permitted before Bryan left but now the President has Brandeis.

Senator Leach has introduced a bill compelling all trains to stop at the nearest station within four miles of the county seat.

Representative Embrey has introduced a bill in the House carrying a heavy punishment to anyone killing a fox during the chase.

Should say we do need to prepare. Over in Europe they have guns that will shoot for miles, while we stick to the old policy of Lansing.

They say the early bird catches the worm, but woe unto the chicken that catches it other than in its own back yard around these parts.

Now that the Lusitania case is nearing settlement and that the City Council has refused to repeal the chicken law let's be looking around for presidential timber.

A Christian county girl proposed, took her "to-be" to Hopkinsville, got free license, was married free and among other presents received by the couple were a tombstone and twelve bottles of Castoria. Here's hoping the brave lady will find the latter gift more useful of the two.

Five hundred and twenty-five Republicans celebrated the birth of Lincoln Saturday night. Speeches were made by Mayor Thompson, of Chicago, Ed. Morrow, O'Rear, Franks and others. As an attestation to his popularity Mr. Morrow was greeted by "Howdy Ed." both upon his entrance and when he arose to speak, by the big crowd.

Lively scenes occurred in the Legislature Friday when Representative Humphrey charged Representative Harvey of Webster county, of having improper relations with a chambermaid at the hotel in Frankfort. The charge seems to be unfounded and the affair is little appreciated by the people over the State. They prefer to hear about that State deficit and let the little chambermaid go on about her work.

Public Spirited men of Louisville have launched a campaign to raise funds for the erection of a large auditorium in that city. Louisville has long needed such a building and the citizens who are giving their time and money to this movement are to be commended. When a public man of note speaks in Louisville under the present arrangement people out in the State who really want to attend are reluctant for fear of being forced to stand about three blocks away and hear only an echo of the speakers voice.

### THE FARMER.

Until properly informed it is the general opinion of one who never spent a part of life tilling, or aiding in tilling, the soil that the easiest work, the most independent living and the most happy hours belong to him of that most honorable of all honorable trades, called farming. Writers are very free with their advice to the farmer. They tell him to stay on the farm and all that, but how many of them would welcome the chance to go to the farm, put in

the long hours and endure the hardships that fall to the lot of most of our Ohio county boys. Many of them would go all right, but upon conditions that would be rather hard for them or anyone else to meet. They would probably demand a well-cleared land within a short distance of a city, good farm machinery, an automobile and a good pike. Added to this, of course, they must have a foreman and several good hired hands. With those inducements farm life would be the merriest, the happiest and the greatest. But such is not the lot of the boys in the trenches.

Farming is the oldest of all professions. It can be traced almost to the beginning of man. The proper work for farming is, as we all know, agriculture, derived from the Latin words ager (field or land) and colo (to cultivate). However, our forefathers brought with them from Britain the term farm, the derivation of which is uncertain. In Britain, then and now, practically all farm lands are owned by landlords and leased for divers periods of time. The word farm is used over there to signify a piece of this leased land, and from that source we, in this country, get our terms farm and farmer. But the word does not only mean the leaser of land, it signifies the owner also. But now that we have the source of the name let us see what the average farmer actually does.

He has the glorious privilege of springing from the bed long before the dawn of an approaching day. He feeds his team while the dear wife, who has such an easy time, cooks breakfast. The poultry, the hogs and other stock also demand attention. Before the last bite of maple syrup soaked buck wheat cake is well on its way the farmer is nearing the barn. His team geared, he departs for the field, and long before the people of the towns and cities are through with their daily protest to the one who would dare disturb their slumber, is causing the sod to crack and groan with his labors and Oliver chill. Or he may be spreading consternation among animate beings in the meadow with the click of his mower. No matter what the labor on this particular day it's work, work, work.

A hurried lunch and it's back to the fields again. Some take a half hour for rest, but they are few in the busy seasons. Provided there is no moon, work ceases at dark. The horses, put up, feeding, milking and routine work over and the farmer takes his second lamplight meal of the day. He has probably fifteen minutes to read the paper and talk with his family. It doesn't seem to him that he is sound asleep until the clock announces 3:30 a. m., and that is the time most Ohio county farmers get up during the busy seasons. There is no one for him to protest to, except the guiding hand that assists the earth around its axis and causes time to pass by. No time for him to stretch and yawn. He must be up and about, repeating the work of the day before.

But you say he has nothing invested, no financial troubles to worry him. He hasn't 'ey? Well, he has his farm, large or small. He has his machinery, his cattle, his stock. If his acreage is large he must employ men, besides doing a good day's work himself, and his money doesn't come by the week, nor the month, but ordinarily once a year. If he is without capital he must pay interest in the meantime for funds to run the business. A steer lays down and dies, and the farmer kisses good night his year's profit on cattle. Water, hail, fire and other elements appear in excess and the farmer is shoved to the wall. The farmer has his troubles, just as you and I.

His true there are assets to farm life and among these the grandest, it seems to us, is the great privilege of living so close to mother nature. To see and hear her little envoys so cheerfully announcing the approach of her great ball of fire. The farmer who leans upon his plow handles, sees the dark eastern sky grow grey, then lighter, then red, old sol in all its glory show that glittering face; who hears the wood pecker on a far off snag sound a reveille for all animal and insect life to be astir; who realizes the full significance and grandeur of the hurried transformation and dawn of a bright day, is surely to be envied.

The dawn of a brighter day is approaching for the Ohio county farmer. We have the essentials here for a great farming district. Bad roads seems to be the one great drawback. The surest way of improvement along this line seems to be the voting of bonds. Think it over, and when you are satisfied that is the best solution let us lose no time in bringing up the issue. Let your wants be known. Discuss it in the farm department of this paper if you wish, or tell your magistrate, your leaders. And when we shall have the good roads, by bonds or otherwise our county will come. Land is cheap here now; it

will rise as the rock goes down on our highways.

The Ohio County farmer is reading these days. He is learning to do things scientifically. True it takes time and money to start anew, but it's worth something to get out of the old rut. It means in years to come that fifteen hours will not be counted a short day's work in the busy season and that with co-operation he will receive a substantial reward for his investment and a fair profit for his labor.

### JURY FINES MAN 1 CENT THEN PAYS COURT COSTS

Shelbyville, Ind., Feb. 13.—Charles Stafford, who whipped a man who caused Mrs. Stafford to leave him, was found guilty and fined 1 cent. The jury paid the fine, contributed its services and paid the court costs.

### Public Sale.

Saturday, February 19, at one o'clock I will offer for sale at my residence the following: One Wagon, one buggy, farming implements, household goods and a lot of good lumber. Also 1 traction engine and saw rigging, now in operation. Terms will be made known on day of sale.

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## POLITICAL TOPICS.

(By Frussell.)

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 15, 1916. The Lincoln Day Banquet on last Saturday, the 12th, was a Republican function of considerable proportions. Five hundred and fifty sat at the feast, the second of its kind given by the Lincoln Protective League of Louisville.

Mayor William Hale Thompson, of Chicago, was the principal guest and speaker; Judge George DuRelle was a gracious and pleasing toastmaster. Mr. Edwin P. Morrow made one of his best and drew much applause when he touched on the question of National Preparedness and gave it a boost and his endorsement. He also stated that his plan for preparedness includes a change in administration as the first essential and suggested that the present administration was lacking in diplomacy and had set up in its stead a school of International Correspondence.

E. T. Franks, of Owensboro, spoke on the subject—"Is It Worth the Cost?" It was well and forcibly put and contained much valuable commercial trade information.

Judge O'Rear spoke on the subject—"If Lincoln Could Come Back." He took some latitude, touched on national questions, favored adequate preparedness and had the audience with him from the beginning. He is highly regarded by the rank and file of his party and enjoys the respect and confidence of all the leaders.

This annual Republican dinner on Lincoln's birthday is an inspiration to all Republicans everywhere in the State. Each year it grows larger and there is no doubt that next year it will be necessary to find space for at least eight hundred plates.

It develops that some prominent party men have reached the conclusion that the State should send their Chicago delegates uninstructed. The sentiment is led by Congressmen Langley and Powers, the former being a candidate for a place on the Big Four. This idea has gathered strength and seems to be the first sign of an organization in opposition to the early sentiment for former Vice-President Fairbanks, to whom the party leaders are really indebted, if not in fact committed. The question now comes up—who prompts this non-instruction delegation? For whom is the former Postmaster-General Frank Hitchcock working? His friends say it is Justice Hughes, but it is pointed out by others that the Justice made a public statement less than ten days ago to the effect that his name must not be used in connection with the nomination and this was in answer to a question concerning Mr. Hitchcock and his Southern friends, the former postmasters, who are showing visible signs of activity just now, said to be for Hughes.

The question is asked—Is this movement for Mr. Roosevelt? Does he really want the nomination? This question was put to Mr. Langley and he said he had not talked to the President lately but expected to see him upon his return from the West Indies. Mr. Langley said that he knew that Mr. Roosevelt did not want Mr. Fairbanks nominated, but he did not indicate just who he would support.

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## NATION-WIDE IS ALSO DEFEATED

RESOLUTION ASKING KY. REPRESENTATIVES AT WASHINGTON TO VOTE DRY IS TABLED.

### VOTE STANDS 72 TO 14

Amendment Providing for Compensation Adopted Then Whole Matter Dropped By The House.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 16.—The following new bills were offered in the House today:

An act to prevent the spread of disease from livestock; amending law relating to penalty for defrauding a hotel or boarding house; amending constitution to provide further exemption from taxation; to prohibit betting or wagering on horse races except on a licensed race track; amending the law relating to registration; making it unlawful to congregate outside a place of public worship; to place medicinal roots and herbs on same footing as other growing crops; forbidding the opening of ditches and streams without the consent of persons liable to be damaged amending law relating to weights and measures; amending law relating to common schools.

Brashear's motion, to bring from the committee his bill to prohibit shipment of more than one gallon of liquor or a case of beer a month to any one consignee in dry territory, prevailed, and the measure was given its first reading and placed in the calendar.

Oliver offered a motion to force from committee his bill to prohibit betting on horse racing by means of any device or machine, and Hutchcraft moved to postpone action until Friday.

Cooper was "asleep at the switch" and offered a motion to table Hutchcraft's motion to postpone. The latter quickly secured a second, and while Oliver and others, who realized the trap into which Cooper had fallen, clamored for support in opposition to the motion to table it, it was put by Speaker Duffy and carried overwhelmingly. The motion not only tabled Hutchcraft's motion but that of Oliver.

Supporting his motion to force out his bill, giving fiscal courts the right to appoint commissioners to handle road bond issues and place it upon its passage, Representative Cook declared they were going to vote on a bond issue in his county shortly, and the passage of the bill would have the effect of carrying the election. Much opposition developed, but on roll-call sixty-six members favored taking the bill up for consideration. Senator Evans' bill to abolish Second and Third Assistant Attorney Generals, was reported unfavorably. Favorable reports were made on bills to prohibit divorced persons marrying within one year after divorce; to regulate interurban railways; to regulate trapping of furbearing animals; to permit counties to vote tax for roads and bridges, and to authorize the appointment of commissioners to handle county road bond issues.

Major James C. Rogers, of Lexington, was made assistant enrolling clerk for the day, without compensation, in order that he might enjoy the privileges of the floor. John S. Webb offered an amendment making it compulsory to name a commission, rather than leave it to the option of the fiscal court, but it was defeated and the bill was then passed 66 to 14.

Representatives Greene offered a resolution requesting Kentucky's delegation in Congress to vote for the amendment to the Federal Constitution prohibiting the manufacture or sale of liquor or having it in possession.

Spahn moved to table, but on roll-call the motion was lost 59 to 33. Meyers then offered an amendment, providing that persons who shall have their property confiscated to be reimbursed at a fair value for same.

Greene made a lengthy argument in opposition to the amendment, declaring it was born in the camp of the enemy and offered for no other purpose than to hinder the resolution. He declared Senator Beckham wanted that resolution sent to him from his home people unencumbered.

Lasley, favoring the amendment, declared that he was a prohibitionist and a Democrat. Greene interrupted to ask if Mr. Henry Watterson had not said a man could not be a prohibitionist and a Democrat.

"I don't care what Mr. Watterson has said," declared Lasley. "That's his right. But I am a prohibitionist, and behind, before and besides all

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that, I am a Democrat." He said Greene and his crowd were opposed to everything Democratic, and bitterly attacked Greene's Democracy.

Greene, responding, flayed Lasley unmercifully, devoted his time to ridiculing Lasley, and declaring the best test of his Democracy came in the Goebel campaign.

"That was the acid test, and my Democracy for the first time is questioned this morning by a young man who, while I was fighting the battles of Democracy, still was in short trousers," said Greene.

Meyers, supporting his amendment and declaring he was opposed to the resolution, said the Almighty tried prohibition on only two, Adam and Eve, and it failed, and a short time later he changed water into wine. His first miracle.

"He saw it wouldn't work; now, do you want us to try and force it on 70,000,000?" asked Meyers.

Asked if the action of the Almighty, with regard to Adam and Eve, was Statewide prohibition, Meyers quickly responded: "No, that was world-wide and I would have approved it."

Senator Speers corrupt practices act came up as a special order at 12 o'clock. On his motion the Vance corrupt practices act, which has passed the House, was substituted for the Senate bill.

Senator Speer said the bill seeks to cure an evil which has been practiced in Kentucky for a number of years, and bring about conditions whereby pure elections may be held. The bill, he said, seeks to prevent the use of money and other corrupt practices that have placed Kentucky on the map as one of the most notorious places in this respect. Rising to a point of personal priv-

ilege, Senator Moore took occasion to resent the testimony before the probe committee last night, that Barksdale Hamlett had told Tom Hatcher that he would sell his vote for \$1,000. He said the article had not made him famous, but notorious.

"I have no criticism said Moore, for the man who told Tom Hatcher this thing, because I believe him to be unbalanced, and we all know that he has been drunk for the last month or two." Continuing, Senator Moore said that any of the Senators believed that he would sell his vote he wanted them to greet him each morning with "Hello, Floater, instead of "good morning."

Senator Moore intimated that he could furnish the probe committee with some interesting facts, saying that a distinguished gentleman had remarked that if they had known the bill was going to be killed they could have grabbed two more votes.

### TAX NOTICE.

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## AMONG THE CHURCHES.

**Methodist.**  
The Rev. J. T. Rushing, presiding elder, delivered a splendid sermon from the pulpit of the local M. E. Church Sunday morning. Doctor Rushing took for his text, Heb. 12:14, "Follow with all Men, and Holiness, without which no man shall see the Lord." He stated that there were five hindrances to permanent peace, namely, avarice, ambition, anger, envy and ignorance. Under the sub-head, "Follow Holiness," Rev. Rushing said: "Men do not become Holy by subscribing to the ceremonies of the Church, such as Baptism. They do not become Holy by cleaning up their outward life. But they do become Holy by letting God come into their hearts." The subject was very ably handled all through the discourse.

The Rev. B. W. Napier, pastor, will preach at the Methodist church Sunday morning and night. The subject of the morning sermon will be, "God's Idea of Atheism." The subject for Sunday night will be announced at the morning service.

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock Mrs. B. W. Napier will meet with the little folks and relate for them, a beautiful little story.

**The Christian.**  
There will be the regular services at the Christian church Sunday morning and night by the pastor, Rev. S. E. Harlan. The subject of the morning sermon will be "Divinity of Christ." For the evening service, "Pardon and Forgiveness." This will be Rev. Harlan's introduction to his Hartford congregation as pastor of the local church, and a full attendance is expected.

**In Memory.**  
Beaver Dam, Ky., Feb. 12.—Mrs. P. F. Cox, wife of J. W. Cox, living near Cromwell died Feb. 6, in her 83d year.

Mrs. Cox had been about her regular household duties Saturday and died Sunday afternoon. She had been a member of the Baptist church since she was 13 years of age. She leaves two children, Mrs. S. L. Stevens, Beaver Dam, and Mrs. S. M. Taylor of Kansas City, Mo.

Her funeral was preached by her pastor, Eld. R. L. Creel, at her residence 8th, inst.

Since she had long been a member of Slaty Creek church. Peace to her memory.

**Durocs For Sale.**  
For \$9 I will sell you a 5 months old pig that you can't buy from the Pig Breeder for less than \$20. If you don't believe me write for pedigree, also breed Sows, Guilts and White Wyandotte chickens and eggs.

R. E. BARRETT,  
Beaver Dam, Ky.

## HOLE DUG IN JAIL WALL WITH KNIFE AND SPOON

Yreka, Cal., Feb. 13.—George Walton and Doc Riley, prisoners in the County Jail, were put in irons by Sheriff Howard following the discovery of an attempt by them to escape by digging a hole through a brick wall of the structure with a small spoon and a penknife. They had completed the hole and were crawling out when intercepted.

## CONFEDERATES DYING AT RATE OF ONE A DAY

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 12.—Confederate pensioners in the last three months have been dying at the rate of almost one a day, according to Commissioner of Pensions W. J. Stone, who is completing the quarterly distribution, due next Tuesday. Over 12 per cent have died since May, 1912, and forty-six new pensioners added since November are mostly widows. The total number of pensioners on the list now is 2,984. The total number allowed is 3,479, showing that the list is gradually growing smaller.

## Notice.

To whom it may concern:  
The firm of Dexter & Baker, formerly doing a business in the town of Beaver Dam, Ky., was, by mutual agreement, dissolved on the 28th day of May, 1915. On said date F. O. Baker sold his entire interest in said partnership business to Otto Dexter, the said Dexter assuming the payment of all indebtedness against said partnership and all notes and accounts due said firm should be paid to Mr. Dexter.

## WILSON TOSSES CHAPEAU IN RING

GIVES FORMAL CONSENT TO USE OF HIS NAME AS CANDIDATE FOR RENOMINATION.

Washington, Feb. 14.—President Wilson today formally gave his consent that his name be used as a candidate for renomination.

In a letter to the Secretary of State of Ohio the President stated that he was unwilling to enter a contest for the nomination, but was ready to permit the use of his name in the coming primary in order that the Democrats of Ohio might make known their preference.

The President made known his position in order to comply with the Ohio primary law, which requires candidates for delegates to the party conventions to make known their first and second choices before February 25, and also requires that the candidates for delegates have the consent of their choices to make use of their names.

The president was formally notified of the requirements of the law last week and today he wrote Chas. Q. Hildebrand, Secretary of State of Ohio, as follows:

"I am enclosing to you a letter the occasion of which I dare say will be quite obvious. Friends in Ohio have called my attention to Section 4954 of the General Code of Ohio, as amended in 1914, with regard to primary elections, and have suggested that I indicate my willingness to have my name used.

"I accordingly take the liberty of sending you the enclosed letter as formal permission under the statute.

## President's Letter.

The letter the President inclosed was as follows:  
"While I am entirely unwilling to enter into any contest for the Presidential nomination of the Democratic party, I am willing to permit the use of my name that the Democrats in Ohio may make known their preference in regard to that nomination.

"In order, therefore, to satisfy the technical requirements of the statutes of the State of Ohio, I hereby consent to the use of my name as a candidate for the Presidency by any candidate who seeks to be elected a delegate to the National Democratic Convention, which is to assemble in June next.

This was the first time the president has consented formally to have his name used in connection with the nomination. His name has been placed on the primary ballot in several States, however, through the activity of friends.

The President takes the position that the voters will have to determine whether he will make the race for the Presidency in 1916, as the Democratic candidate. In a letter written to A. Mitchell Palmer, then a representative from Pennsylvania, before his inauguration, Mr. Wilson made it plain that he would only be a candidate again if the Democratic voters desired it.

Political advisors and friends of the President have taken for granted for months that he would be the nominee of his party, and have made their plans accordingly. The National Democratic Committee has prepared all the campaign material with the idea that he would be the party candidate.

## GIRL ACCEPTS LEAP YEAR OPPORTUNITY

## CHRISTIAN COUNTY GIRL "POPS" QUESTION; GETS MANY PRESENTS.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 15.—Claiming the presents which Hopkinsville business men had offered to the bride who popped the question during leap year, Miss Sallie Eldora Brown, a pretty Crofton girl, appeared this afternoon at the office of Circuit Clerk Harris, accompanied by James Herbert Tweddell, a young North Christian farmer. Both made affidavits to the effect that on St. Valentine's eve she proposed matrimony and he accepted.

A free license was given them and they were married without charge by County Judge Walter Knight at the entrance of Richard Leavell's sales stable. In the background was a fine mule presented to the couple by Mr. Leavell.

Among the other gifts were \$300 worth of premium tickets a wedding ring, a dress, a rocking chair, two settings of eggs, life-size photographs, 1,000 pounds of ice, a box of cigars, a wedding supper, a year's subscription to the New Era, twelve bottles of Castoria and a tombstone. The bride is 17 and the groom 18.

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YOU CAN RELY ON ANYTHING YOU BUY FROM US, BECAUSE WE "STAND BEHIND" EVERYTHING WE SELL.

COME IN AND GIVE US ALL OF YOUR BUSINESS FOR ONE MONTH. THAT'S ALL WE ASK.

WHEN YOU ONCE BECOME OUR CUSTOMER WE WANT TO KEEP YOU A CUSTOMER. TO DO SO, WE TREAT YOU RIGHT WHEN YOU FIRST DEAL WITH US AND KEEP RIGHT ON TREATING YOU RIGHT AS LONG AS YOU LIVE.

## CARSON & CO.

INCORPORATED.

Hartford, Kentucky.

## Hartford Republican.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18.

**L., H. & ST. L. R. R. TIME TABLE.**  
No. 113 due at Ellimitch 8:32 p. m.  
No. 110 due at Ellimitch 7:30 a. m.  
No. 112 Lv. Ellimitch . . . 3:40 p. m.  
Ar. Irvington . . . 5:35 p. m.  
Lv. Irvington . . . 5:56 p. m.  
Ar. Louisville . . . 7:40 p. m.  
No. 111 Lv. Louisville . . . 8:35 a. m.  
Ar. Irvington . . . 10:06 a. m.  
Lv. Irvington . . . 10:40 a. m.  
Ar. Ellimitch . . . 1:04 p. m.

**M., H. & E. R. R. TIME TABLE.**  
South Bound, No. 115—  
Due at Hartford . . . . . 8:45 a. m.  
North Bound, No. 114—  
Due at Hartford . . . . . 5:55 p. m.  
(Both "Mixed Trains.")

Mr. T. R. Barnard, of Island was here Thursday.

Mrs. Attye Grinn is visiting relatives in Greenville.

For anything in the Grocery line call the Green Front Grocery.

Mr. Earl Rickard left yesterday for a visit to relatives in Livermore.

Attorney E. M. Woodward has returned from a business trip to Illinois.

Mr. W. C. Barrow, of Morgantown, was over Saturday to take the bar examination.

Judge Jno. B. Wilson attended the good roads meeting at Lexington last week.

Mr. Fred Robertson left yesterday for Providence, Ky., where he has accepted a position.

Mr. Isaac Foster, who is doing some construction work at Central City, came up Wednesday for a short stay.

Dr. E. B. Pendleton left Wednesday, with a patient for Louisville, where he placed the latter in a hospital.

Don't fail to hear the Brewer Entertainers at College Hall Saturday night. Music that we all understand and enjoy.

Sheriff S. O. Keown, A. D. Kirk and Gilmore Keown attended the Lincoln Banquet at Louisville Saturday night.

Just received a full line of wagon and team harness. Get our prices before you buy. We can save you money.

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The Oliver Chilled Plows and Implements can be had at Acton Bros., Hartford, Ky. 3212

If you are in need of any woven wire fence and barbed wire we have the goods at very low prices, considering the present cost of same.

ACTON BROS,  
Hartford, Ky.

See W. H. Parks, Hartford, Ky., for Life Insurance and Loans on farm lands. Loans negotiated at low rates for long terms, 5, 10, 15 and 20 years. No loans for less than \$500.00 321f

Mr. W. T. Casebier, of Central City, visited his mother, Mrs. J. M. Casebier, from Sunday till Tuesday. Mr. Casebier had a very narrow escape from death a few weeks ago when he came in contact with a live wire in the mines at Central City. The shock rendered him unconscious for several hours.

Mr. Tom Bradley received very painful injuries Monday when he fell from his wagon on the Beaver Dam pike near the residence of Mr. Tom Marks. The wagon was loaded with about 500 pounds of hay and corn and Mr. Bradley fell in such a position that the wheel ran over his chest. A large cut was also sustained on the left cheek. The injuries are not thought to be fatal.

In another column of this issue will be found the announcement of Hon. Tom Spurrier, of Grayson county, as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress from this district. Mr. Spurrier is making a name for himself at Frankfort, having been active in all the efforts of the minority of the House. Being a good Republican and a neighbor Mr. Spurrier will no doubt receive much support from Ohio county.

The Brewer Musical Entertainers will appear in College Hall here next Saturday night under the auspices of the Hartford College Lyceum Board. The entertainment is given by three young ladies and the personnel is as follows: Grace M. Brewer—violin soloist, vocal soloist, piano soloist, trombone soloist; Ruth M. Brewer—reader, clarinet soloist; Elenor

been sick is able to be out again. Miss Martha Ross, who has been ill is improving.

Mr. Ray Hunter and little son, Noalen, of Illinois visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hunter one night last week.

Misses Eva and Esther Fulton spent Monday night with Miss Margaret Tomerlin. They were accompanied home Tuesday by Misses Ruth and Bessie Graham who spent the night with them and the day with Miss Altha Robinson Wednesday.

Mr. Jack Hockenberry lost a fine horse Tuesday morning.

Mr. August Fulkerson and family spent Monday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Fulkerson.

Miss Carrie Southard has been visiting her grandfather, Mr. Bill Chinn.

Mrs. Mat Graham and two daughters, Marie and Jessie spent Tuesday night with her brother, Mr. Will Tomerlin.

## I OWE MY HEALTH

To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Washington Park, Ill.—"I am the mother of four children and have suffered with female trouble, backache, nervous spells and the blues. My children's loud talking and romping would make me so nervous I could just tear everything to pieces and I would ache all over and feel so sick that I would not want anyone to talk to me at times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills restored me to health and I want to thank you for the good they have done me. I have had quite a bit of trouble and worry but it does not affect my youthful looks. My friends say 'Why do you look so young and well?' I owe it all to the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies."

—Mrs. ROBT. STOPIEL, Moore Avenue, Washington Park, Illinois.

We wish every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervousness, backache or the blues could see the letters written by women made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you have any symptom about which you would like to know write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free of charge.



## FARM DEPARTMENT

For Our Farm Department.  
Hartford, Ky., Feb. 7, 1916.  
Editors Hartford Republican:

Let me congratulate you upon your happy thought to establish a "Farm Department" in your paper, which will be of benefit to all the farmers in the Green River Country—if they will subscribe for your newspaper—and read it. Moreover, the farmers can exchange ideas about proper tillage and rotation of crops, the best methods of fertilizing and conserving their soils, and the most profitable way of marketing their crops—if they will use the Republican as the vehicle for those purposes. Not only this, but every agriculturist should pay for and support his local and county seat paper, in order that said paper may be able financially, and mentally and mechanically, to furnish him a better paper, editorially, educationally and agriculturally.

It is by the cultivation of community interests rather than the selfish and short-sighted individual interest that the social spirit is engendered, which leads to the co-operation among the farmers for their own benefits, individually and collectively. One farmer (nor a few farmers) does not count in the scheme of things now, when all the capitalists, all the buyers and all the corporations stand united together to fleece the farmers and to exploit labor in general and in common.

These exploiters of the working class are intelligent (for their own economic interests), and class conscious in all their purposes for parasitism on labor. Hence, they have their organizations and associations for, not only protecting their class and economic interests, but also to enhance their profits. Why, then, is the farmer so stupid and ignorant that he will not unite with his brother farmers to protect his class and economic interests?

Does not the farmer now realize that the sun of the day individualism has set never to rise again, but that the dawn of the glorious morn of collectivism is now here? Can he not see that the hell of competition is passing and that the era of co-operation is coming?

Whenever the farmers and laborers realize that competition and capitalism as evidenced in Europe, are destroying life, property, civilization and happiness, and creating hell and pandemonium on earth, they will bestir themselves to bring about collectivism and co-operation.

Let our farmers revive the American Society of Equity, pool their products, stand for their common good, and labor together under the motto—"One for all, and all for one," and, eventually, they will prosper and be happy!

Yours for the social, financial and class-interests of the farmers and laborers.

W. H. CUNDIFF.

### Fundamentals of Farm Management.

Certain fundamental principles of farm management are advanced by specialists of the department as having been brought out or substantiated by a thorough agricultural survey of an old and representative farming section of Chester county, Pa. These principles are summarized as follows:

Farming conforms to local soil, climate, labor, and market conditions as well as to the business conditions of the individual farm.

When conditions remain unchanged for a long time, farming becomes approximately what it ought to be to get the best results, provided that practice which is immediately the most profitable does not deplete soil fertility.

Success in farming, measured in per cent of profit on investment, does not depend on the magnitude of the farm business, but measured in terms of the standard of living of the farm family it is directly proportional to the magnitude of business.

Profits increase as yields per acre increase until the yields are considerably above the average for the locality, but beyond this point increased yields are obtained at a loss.

In quantity of product per dairy cow the point of diminishing returns is not reached in ordinary farm practice.

It is easier and more profitable to increase low yields per acre than high ones, and small product per cow than large product. In other words, profits can be increased more easily by attention to the weakest points in a farming system.

There is a way of grouping the enterprises of a farm that is more profitable than any other way; that is, there is a certain most profitable acreage for each crop and a most profitable proportion of income from any one source.

Some enterprises, such as poultry keeping, may be made profitable as side lines, yet are difficult to make profitable when made a main feature of the farm business.

Production costs much more per bushel or per ton on the small farm than on the large farm of the same type.

Diversity of business is an important factor of success on the average farm. A moderate degree of diversity is better than either extreme.

### Diseases from Cow's Milk.

It is well known that disease is acquired from drinking contaminated milk. By protecting milk from becoming contaminated we can do much to prevent the occurrence and spread of such diseases as tuberculosis, typhoid fever, scarlet fever, diphtheria, tonsillitis, cholera and gastrointestinal disorders. The housewife can do her share in safeguarding her household from acquiring diseases by taking care of the milk brought into the home every day. The bottles containing the day's supply should be carefully washed with water around the tops before being placed in the ice chest. The neck and open portion of the milk bottle is very apt to be contaminated from the soiled hands of the persons who delivers the milk.

Pasteurization of the milk while it is in the bottles, before it is put in the ice chest, will insure protection from disease which may be lurking in the milk—for milk may come from diseased cows.

Milk also may be contaminated by the milker, the container, the surroundings, the water used to wash the cans or to adulterate the milk; or it may become contaminated at the dealer's or purchaser's by being left uncovered, exposed to flies, dust, etc., or by not being kept in a cool place.

The only way to prevent the transmission of disease by milk is to insist on a thorough inspection of all dairies and sources of milk supply and to educate the public in the care of milk between the time of purchase and its consumption.

The inspection of milk should include: The color, the reaction, specific gravity, sediment, taste, odor, acidity, total quantity of solids and of water; the percentage of cream, fats lactose, casein and ash, the presence or absence of preservatives, coloring matter, added solids, dilution, pathogenic organisms, dirt or other foreign matter. There should also be a thorough investigation as to the source of milk, the cows and their environment, the method employed in caring for, milking, storing and transporting the milk.

As the consumer of milk has no way of finding out where the milk comes from, the best she can do to protect herself from illness caused by using milk must be done after the milk reaches her door. This she can fortunately do without much trouble and expense. It is an easy matter to wash the outside of the filled bottles and then to place them in a kettle containing cold water reaching up to a level or slightly above the height of the milk in the bottles; remove the covers in the bottles and place the kettle with the bottles in it over the fire. When the water begins to boil, remove the kettle from the stove and place it where the water will cool, allowing the bottles with the milk in them, to remain in the water until it is cool. Place the covers (which should have been washed in cold water) over the tops of the bottles as soon as the kettle is removed from the stove. When the water in the kettle stands for twenty minutes, remove the bottles from the kettle and place them in the ice chest to be kept cool.

Milk treated in the manner described is pasteurized and is perfectly clean and safe to use.

### Agricultural Moving Pictures.

The Department of Agriculture was one of the first of the government bureaus to take up the 'movie' as a means of education. The motion picture work has been financed by having each bureau whose operations are shown in a film stand the expense of its production. Each bureau owning films has been requested by the committee to make the widest possible use of them to purchase additional projectors and to have other copies of their films made when these can be used to good advantage in carrying out special campaigns of education. Information about this accelerated motion picture work will be gathered to a head by monthly reports to the chairman of the Motion Picture Committee, which, in addition to data as to subjects, location and dates, will make as accurate an estimate as possible of the effectiveness of the films in increasing the size of the audiences over those attending similar unillustrated lectures, or those illustrated by lantern slides.

Finally the committee will bring about co-operation between the film-owning bureaus and the states' relation service of the department, which has under it hundreds of country demonstration agents in all parts of the country.

An important element of the present movement will be an intense test through the demonstration agents of selected programs of films in five states. From these tests suggestions will be gotten for improvements in existing films and new subjects needed. On the tests, it is believed, will hinge to a large extent the committee's decisions on questions it has been considering for some time, such as the advisability of the states' relations service making films of its own for use through its country-wide organization, sale of films by the department to agricultural colleges, and, most important of all, release of the department's education subjects through the national commercial film exchanges that would show them in thousands of theaters throughout the country.

### Cowpeas Increase Soil Fertility.

When P. H. Ross went to Leavenworth County, Kan., four years ago as agricultural agent, he found many farms in the county in a badly worn-out condition. A fertile soil is the basis of successful agriculture, and it seemed to him that the principal problem in that country was to rebuild these worn out farms. As a quick means of showing what could be done, the farm bureau furnished enough cowpeas to plant an acre on a number of farms in the county. These cowpeas were distributed by Mr. Ross, and they were planted, and along in the fall the crop was plowed under. As a result of the fertility added by plowing under this crop of cowpeas, the yield of potatoes the following year was increased twenty-five bushels an acre over a similar plot that did not grow a crop of cowpeas. Corn was increased at the rate of nine bushels an acre. The seed bed upon which the wheat was sown was poor. It is not an easy matter to prepare a suitable seed bed after plowing under a green manuring crop. It is usually a better plan to follow the turning under of a crop of cowpeas with corn. The purpose of this demonstration, however, was accomplished. It showed that even so simple a measure as turning back a little fertility in the form of a green manure crop, would immediately show in the crop following.

The farm bureau of Leavenworth County has been systematically working along the line of soil improvement ever since its organization. More live stock has been introduced into the county. Silos have been built, and when the farmers of the county begin to take systematic measures to rebuild their soil, the yields of the stable crops of the county will begin to increase.—Kansas Farmer.

### FARMERS' FREE WANT ADS.

Wanted to sell—Some of the best hand-packed tomatoes, Price \$1.00 per dozen.

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### Do You Find Fault With Everybody?

An irritable, fault-finding disposition is often due to a disordered stomach. A man with good digestion is nearly always good natured. A great many have been permanently benefited by Chamberlain's Tablets after years of suffering. These tablets strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. Obtainable everywhere.

### Church Bell Stolen.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 12.—The bell of Highland Chapel, or the Second Methodist Church, here, was loaded into a buggy and taken away today by two men this afternoon.

The platform upon which the bell formerly rested had given way and the bell was lying on the ground while a new platform was being built.

### ESTIMATE POPULATION OF U. S. AT 101,208,315

Washington, Feb. 13.—Census Bureau experts estimated today that the population of the United States on January 1, last, was 101,208,315 and that by July it would be 102,017,203.

On July 1 last year they figured the population at 100,399,318. Western States have led in growth, Washington heading the list with Oklahoma, Nevada, North Dakota and New Mexico following in the order named.

The bureau's estimates are based on the rate of increase between the 1900 and 1910 censuses.

### FIFTY POSSUM HUNTERS INDICTED; MANY CONFESS

Morgantown, Ky., Feb. 12.—Fifty alleged possum hunters were indicted here today, some upon confessions of guilt.

Commonwealth's Attorney Gilliam said some of those indicted came in to court and confessed voluntarily without any promise of immunity. The trials, he thought, would be held at Bowling Green.

## COUNTY FARM NOTES

Mr. L. T. Barnard, of near Hartford, was in our office the other day and tells us that he is selling his fine chickens and settings of eggs right and left. He has exchanged several of his high breed with poultry raisers in other states.

Mr. L. D. Bennett, a prosperous farmer of the Beda neighborhood was in to renew his subscription to The Republican Monday and while here gave us a pipe full of the most deliciously flavored home spun it has ever been our liberty to sample. Mr. Bennett had skipped before the full value of his weed had been realized, otherwise we might have wrestled with him for the rest of his twist. When Tinsley got a whiff of the flavor he "cussed" us for not putting him wise.

Many farmers are taking advantage of the opportunity to deliver their tobacco to Mr. Westerfield at the local house and Saturday it looked like old times in the yards at the warehouse. Ohio county farmers and Hartford business men are determined to have tobacco brought here next season.

Despite the bad condition of the roads hundreds of Ohio county farmers are attending the present session of Circuit Court. It has been fully demonstrated that rock roads are the best for our roads and should a bond issue be put through the voters at present there is little doubt of its going through.

Mr. Pete Igleheart will go to Bowling Green this week for the purpose of buying 100 sheep for the McMurtry farm, near Hartford.

Esq. W. S. Dean in speaking of the near fight between Representatives Harvey and Pumphrey at Frankfort Friday, says the legislators have more regard for their fellow members now than when he was representative. He says that when he wanted to scrap no one offered to hold him.

Mr. Berry Taylor, of near Hartford, says we are going to force him to pay up because he has something he wants to advertise in the Farmers' want ad column.

Mr. Geo. M. Johnson is going to name his farm and have some letter heads printed. Farmers in the county are gradually awakening to the importance of having the name of their farm printed on their stationery. The cost is little more than plain stationery and adds much to the business standing of the correspondent.

County Farm Demonstrator Browder attended the meeting of the demonstrators at Lexington last week. Mr. Browder reports a very successful meeting.

Mr. S. H. Oglesby, of near Centertown, was in Monday to add a little vim in a substantial way.

Mr. Peter Shown, Hartford route 5, was in recently and boosted his subscription, and consequently ourselves.

Mrs. Lella M. Fulkerson, Centertown route 1, is a new reader of the Republican.

Mr. Thos. C. Martin, Beaver Dam route 3, was a very pleasant caller last week.

Mr. Carl M. Taylor, Prentiss, was in last week and renewed his faith. Mr. Taylor stated there was little news from his neighborhood.

Esq. Ed. Shown, Hartford route 7, was another of those pleasant callers.

### For Children's Cough.

You cannot use anything better for your child's cough and cold than Dr. King's New Discovery. It is prepared from Pine Tar mixed with healing and soothing balsams. It does not contain anything harmful and is slightly laxative, just enough to expel the poisons from the system. Dr. King's New Discovery is antiseptic—kills the cold germs—raises the phlegm—loosens the cough and soothes the irritation. Don't put off treatment. Coughs and Colds often lead to serious lung troubles. It is also good for adults and the aged. Get a bottle today. All Drug-gists.

American marines hereafter will be permitted to carry cans when ashore in uniform or out of garrison, the idea being to add smartness, after the manner of the swagger stick of Tommy Atkins.

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### RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any rust that can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and removes dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.

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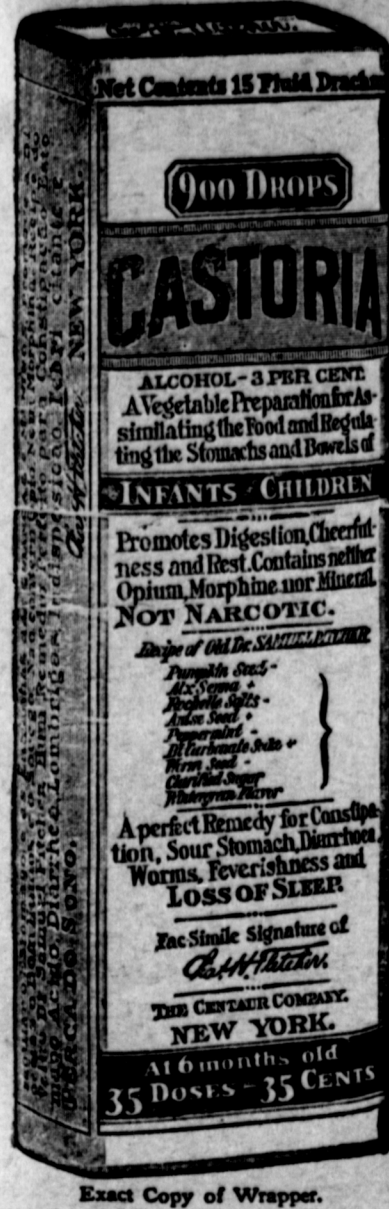
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## MYSTERIOUS ELEPHANTS OF CENTRAL AMERICA

ENGLISH SCHOLAR EXPLAINS  
WHY THEIR FIGURES AP-  
PEAR IN STONE-WORK.

In all the history of civilizations there is no darker mystery than that of the lost cities of Central America. Their ruins remain—temples and courtyards, palaces, strange carved monuments patterned with human heads. And all over the jungle.

The people of a hundred cities are gone. No one knows when they went nor why nor where. All that can be made out is that the civilization arose suddenly, perhaps not many centuries before the year 1000 of our era, flourished for only a few hundred years and then went under.

It has been maintained that the old State was literally washed away by the rain, that a series of wet years sent the tropic vegetation rolling in on the cultivated fields. Lacking iron weapons, men fought in vain against the plants.

Be all this as it may, a civilization little inferior to that of Europe of the same date perished before Columbus' time and left only its stones to show it had ever been.

An extraordinary thing about the carved altars and shafts which lie scattered thru the jungle is that here and there, along with serpents and human faces and hieroglyphs yet unread, there are occasionally the heads of elephants.

One of the Copan monuments in particular bears a striking picture. The creature's trunk is twined around some sort of low herb as if to pull it for food. The tusks are conventionalized into a spiral. A man's head appears about where it should be if the man himself were seated astride the neck, and further behind is another human figure as if carried on the back. All, in short, carved in stone, is a good deal the sort of picture that one sees nowadays in natural history primer or circus bill.

But there are no elephants in America. And there have not been any since the great Ice Age, when the mammoth roamed what are now the prairies and even strayed as far south as Mexico. Either, therefore, these Central Americans had passed down for some 50,000 years the tradition of the mammoth, or else they had had some much more recent contact with the eastern continent, where elephants are still common.

So the matter rested until lately. Then G. Elliot Smith of the University of Manchester, England, took it up.

Unlike his predecessors, Professor Smith did not rest content with noting that the sculptor at Copan had carved an elephant's head. He asked in addition just what kind of elephant it was.

Now, there are elephants and elephants. Most of them, the African species, for example, have enormous tusks and great ears. But the circus elephant, which is the Indian species, has ears hardly larger than a circus fan and tusks only just large enough to make one row of billiard balls.

First of all, then, Professor Smith argues that the Copan figure is not an American mammoth nor the woolly elephant of Siberia, nor the African sort nor any other kind except the Indian. Shape of head, size of ear, hang of trunk, all prove the old carrying to be our familiar peanut-eating friend. Moreover, since a man rides his neck and another his back he is a tame elephant, not a wild one.

Now the common or circus elephant, altho. confined now in his wild state to the neighborhood of India, occurred also not so very long ago in China. In fact, various old Chinese potters of the time of the Middle Ages used to decorate their wares with figures of elephants or with elephants' heads.

Furthermore, if you take the trouble to run the tip of your tongue along the roof of your mouth, you will feel there certain rough bars lying crosswise. The elephant has these same bars on the under side of his trunk where every child has noticed them when he throws peanuts into the creature's mouth. For the elephant's trunk is not, as is commonly supposed, his nose, but his nose, upper lip and palate all pull out together. The under side of the trunk, therefore, being really the roof of the mouth, carries, naturally, the roof bars.

Both the Chinese potters and the sculptors of Copan took pains to figure these peculiar markings whenever their elephants had their trunks twisted so as to show the under side.

At this point Professor Smith once more takes up the argument. The Copan figure cannot possibly be based on any old tradition of the In-

dian elephant brought over by some immemorial ancestor who crossed Bering Strait. The man who cuts roof bars and gets the right shape of an ear is pretty close to first hand knowledge of the thing he figures.

And yet, Professor Smith goes on to argue, the Central Americans could never have seen an elephant in the flesh for these reasons: The ancient sculptor of Copan, along with other details, put his elephant's eye in exactly the right place—only he mistook it for the nose. In short, he drew a nostril where he should have drawn an optic.

Then he put the eye where the hole of the ear belongs. Therefore, being quite put out to account for the ear flap, he made that into a sort of ornamental head covering, as much as anything else like an embroidered scarf.

In short, argues the archaeologist, the Central American sculptor was copying another man's figure of something that he had never seen and did not more than half comprehend. He made, in other words, for the admiration of his fellow citizens, just about what he would have made if he had somehow got hold of a contemporary Chinese vase and copied the unknown creature from that.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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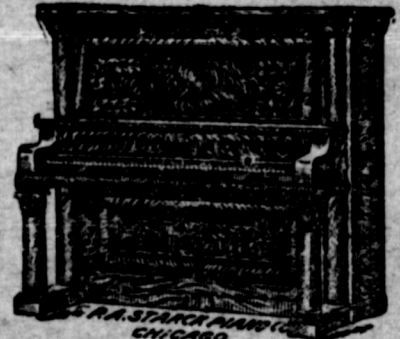
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## BEADS ODDLY STRUNG.

(By J. H. Thomas.)

Geography publishers will welcome the end of the European war.

Uncle Bill Allen lost his seat in the General Assembly but he got a lot of newspaper advertising.

J. Frank Taylor, of Glasgow, is getting ready for a ride into congress on the Republican landslide next fall, from the third district.

Our Representative, Mr. Embry, has introduced a bill to prohibit the shooting of foxes while in the chase. Laff is making himself solid with the fox hunter vote.

A concerted movement is reported from the east to line up for Burton, of Ohio, for the Republican nomination for president.

If salvation in Trenton, New Jersey is not free it is at least marked down. At Billy Sunday's meeting ten thousand souls hit the saw dust trail at an average cost of \$2.98 each.

The strongest opposition ever offered to the confirmation of a Judge of the supreme court, is a newspaper headline referring to president Wilson's nomination of Louis Brandies. It is charged that political expediency is responsible for the President's challenge of public sen-

timent in the appointment of Brandies.

Woman suffrage is having hard sledding at Frankfort. It seems that this western innovation cannot find a foothold east of the Mississippi river.

Why all this fuss about Covington's open Sunday saloons and nary a word about Louisville's.

Are the tobacco growers of Ohio county going to do nothing while those of the rest of the Green river district organize to overthrow the loose leaf house outrage?

There is a noticeable absence of appropriation bills before the general assembly, but then there is nothing to appropriate.

If all the rest desert, son-in-law McAdoo will remain at his post.

If Ed Morrow and Caleb Powers run for Congress in the eleventh, it will be a horse race.

E. T. Franks, of Owensboro, and W. C. Wilson, of Sturgis, will represent the second district at the Chicago convention.

Our old friend Tom Spurrier, representative from Grayson county,

had scarcely warmed his seat at Frankfort before announcing his candidacy for Congress.

Just when the President is anxious to increase the army a whole Garrison at Washington deserts.

The resignation of the assistant secretary of War, Breckenridge, disproves the old story that a Kentucky Democratic office-holder rarely dies and never resigns.

There are thirty-seven applicants for the post office at Beaver Dam. It looks like the untimely regard this as the last chance to make a charge on the pie counter.

The Owensboro Messenger says Louisville, Newport and Covington are the only wide open towns in Kentucky. Well, aren't these the three cities that elected Stanley governor? They are entitled to their reward.

Two of the largest banks in southern Germany have gone to the wall. It indicates, as many believe the crumbling of the known highly strained German financial fabric the end of the war may not be far off.

By their fruits ye shall know them is the final test in politics as well as in piety.

Several thousand fool Americans are contributing good money to a silly project to collect an alleged inheritance from the estate of Sir Francis Drake, a wealthy British nobleman, who died in 1597. Some

Ohio county money has gone into this crazy scheme.

Gov. Stanley has called a conference of bankers to devise a way to reduce the interest charge on the State's three million dollar debt.

The Louisville Post editorial citing the present activity in the iron and steel industries as the fruits of low-tariff is good enough to print in the Democratic campaign handbook.

After all history is a record of things that never happened. After nationalizing Lincoln's birthplace in Larue county now comes the iconoclast armed with affidavits and court records to prove he was born in Washington county.

The dry Democrats in the lower house of the Kentucky legislature are about to unseat their wet speaker.

Gov. Stanley now denies that he received contributions to his campaign fund from the liquor people. However, the denial comes at a time when nobody is interested to meet the issue. He would not dare to deny it before the election.

Col. Bryan is to tour the country against the administration's military program, and a dozen Democratic orators are to be set on his trail. Let 'em fight.

Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA

## STRAY STREAKS.

(By Fluke McFluke.)

When the Women get the ballot, if they could agree, everything most likely, would be carried unanimously, no divisions, as we see it. Whatever our wife favors up home is always elected.

We think it absolutely shameful the way some women treat their husbands now-a-days, permit them to go alone nights and other times, we counted fifteen or twenty of these poor fellows at the movie the other night who were not accompanied by their own wives.

I called our wife's attention, at least I spoke to her about the cruel manner in which some other fellow's wives were neglecting their poor husbands, but somehow the wife did not see it exactly as I did, being at the show I guess she didn't wish to start an argument, so I let the matter drop.

Speaking of things going up, Jay See Her says soda is bound to rise.

And Schlemmer, the baker says as how his bread's done raised.

Likewise John Bircher and Marvin Baird say that telephones and wire are going up most every day.

It is reported that one of our Restaurant men in town, at the close of business some days since, had a quarters worth of steak left over, on which he used 35c worth of embal-

ing fluid, before he had another call for steak it had advanced so much that he made a good profit by the transaction.

With sorrow, we learn of a grave rupture within the Hartford Fishing Club, headed by Ed Barrass upon one side and Lee Simmerman leading the other faction.

It is told us that Barrass and his following contend that nothing in the way of drinks, but grape juice is to be taken upon their annual outing. Sim not being a grape juice patron, demurs, saying that there is too much danger of grape juice fermenting and that nothing shall be taken, except it be ginger ale or coca-cola, thus the fight goes on.

With Manager Heg's Team. Baseball hope springs in the spring soars and soars in the summer, but alas and alack, its jolted and disfigured in the fall.

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